Also, the bill entitled, an act to authorize the Council of the Mount Zion church, in Washington county, to dispose of certain real estate;

Severally endorsed, "passed by yeas and nays."

On motion of Mr. McCleary,

It was ordered, That when the House adjourns to-day, it adjourn to meet at 12 o'clock, M., on Monday.

On motion of Mr. Miller,

The House adjourned.

## MONDAY, August 5, 1861.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Crever.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Kilbourn, Speaker, Rasin, Medders, Welch, Mackubin, Briscoe, Parran, Compton, Ford, Denison, Quiylan, Renshaw, Jones, of Talbot, Lawson, Linthicum, Keene, Holland, Maxwell, Miller, Wootton, Jones, of P. G., Legg, Landing, Kessler, Johnson, Goldsborough, Warfield, Pitts, Harrison, Thomas, Wallis, Sangston, Morfit, Scott, Wilson, Bayless, McCoy, Brining, Fiery, Gordon, Roop, Mills.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Ford presented the petition of James Hungerford, Amos A. Harryman, and one hundred and thirty-five other citizens of Reisterstown, and its vicinity in Baltimore county, praying the passage of a bill, to prevent wagon travel and droving on the Sabbath day in this State;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Kessler presented the petition of Upton Worthington, and other citizens of Frederick county, praying the passage of a law for the further protection of slave property;